

## MOLINEUX GOES FREE.

Deliberated Only 30 Minutes in the Famous New York Murder Trial and Said "Not Guilty."

New York, Nov. 11.—Roland B. Molineux, son of Gen. Molineux, and one of the most prominent young men ever accused of murder in this country, was acquitted by a jury after 30 minutes' deliberation. This is Molineux' second trial for killing Mrs. Kate J. Adams by sending a box of poisoned candy through the mails to Harry S. Cornish. Mrs. Adams, at whose house Cornish lived, ate of the candy and died. At the first trial Molineux was convicted of first-degree murder.

### Ex-Gov. Stone Confident.

St. Louis, Nov. 11.—Ex-Gov. William J. Stone expects to enter the democratic caucus in Jefferson City next January with at least three-fourths of the votes. "I have that many of the votes at the present time," he said. "According to my figures, 56 representatives and 11 senators are instructed to vote for me. Twenty-seven representatives are not instructed for me. Many have told me that they will vote for me. I have no doubts concerning the outcome."

### No Preacher at the Funeral.

Lawrence, Kan., Nov. 11.—The funeral of Capt. A. D. Searl, who died in Leadville, Col., October 20, was held here this afternoon. According to a request made of the G. A. R. post at Leadville, the funeral services at the grave were conducted by the G. A. R., and no minister officiated. Capt. Searl was one of Lawrence's first settlers, and laid out the town-site. He was interested in other engineering work in the early history of the town and of the state.

### White House Conservatories Torn Down.

Washington, Nov. 11.—The white house conservatories have been torn down to make room for the new building provided as an office for the president, and hereafter there will be no flowers grown around the white house. The white house conservatories were notably large and filled with a costly collection of plants. To every white house family for nearly a century, they have been a delight.

### A Methodist Mission Project.

San Francisco, Nov. 11.—Members of the M. E. church here interested in oriental mission work have decided to establish a Japanese Christian home in Honolulu. The Japanese women working in the island rice fields are said to be anxious to have the home established, and are willing to contribute to the cause. The institution will be known as the Susanna Wesley home.

### Now Bolivia Is Threatened.

La Paz, Bolivia, Nov. 11.—Government officials have posted throughout the town placards declaring the whole republic in a state of siege. The country is threatened. Two rumors were heard. One was that the Bolivians had been completely defeated in Acre. The other report was that 2,000 Peruvians were on the frontier, near the Madre de Dios river.

### To Connect Oklahoma Towns

Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 11.—The Oklahoma Traction company was given a territorial charter to build an electric or steam railroad, and telegraph and telephone lines in Oklahoma. The railroad, as proposed, will connect Guthrie, Oklahoma City and Fort Reno. Oklahoma City is named as the principal place of business, and the estimated length of the line is 75 miles.

### Election Will Have No Effect.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 11.—According to United States Senators Albert J. Beveridge, of Indiana, and W. P. Dillingham, of Vermont, members of the senate subcommittee on territories, who were here Tuesday, the closeness of the recent election in Oklahoma will have no effect whatever on the question of admitting that territory to the union as a state.

### Her Existence Was Useless

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 11.—Mrs. Carrie Dell, 55 years of age, stood in front of a mirror this morning in her room on the third floor of the building at 708 Main street and sent a bullet into her brain that ended her life almost instantly. Ill health and despondency over what she called her "generally useless existence" were the causes that led to the act.

### Probably Below 287,000.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 11.—With returns from one big county with a vote in 1900 of 3,520 and five sparsely settled counties in the extreme western part of the state, with a combined vote two years ago of only 799, yet to come, it looks as if the entire vote for candidates for governor in Kansas would hardly reach the 287,000 mark.

### This Town Is for Negroes.

Tulsa, I. T., Nov. 11.—Lincoln is the name of a new town on the Ozark & Cherokee Central railroad, 25 miles west of Okmulgee. It is designed exclusively for negroes. Negroes will own the land and all the business, including stores, gins, banks, mills and shops. The price of lots is \$18.

### Missouri Football Player Paralyzed.

Marshall, Mo., Nov. 11.—Bunce Quarles, of Booneville, was dangerously injured in the football game here between the Wentworth academy and Kemper college teams. Quarles' spine is paralyzed from the shoulders.

### Forty Mexican Prisoners Escape.

Tucson, Ariz., Nov. 11.—Forty prisoners confined in the jail at Cananea, Mex., overpowered the jailers and escaped in broad daylight. This is the second jail delivery in a month.

## VENGEANCE WAS TERRIBLE.

Mrs. Frank Young Slew a Young Woman Whom She Accused of Alienating Her Husband's Affections.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 18.—Miss Florence McFarlan, aged 21 years, a music-teacher, was stabbed to death in her father's house here to-day, and an hour later Mrs. Lulu Young, wife of Frank Young, at one time city purchasing agent, was arrested as being the supposed murderess. The woman who committed the deed rang the door bell of the McFarlan home and when Miss McFarlan answered it, attacked her with a knife. Miss McFarlan ran screaming through the hall into the kitchen, closely pursued by her assailant. In the kitchen she stumbled, half turning. In a flash her pursuer was upon her and stabbed her five times. Miss McFarlan sank to the floor, dying instantly. The murderess fled. The only words she was heard to utter were: "She has come between myself and my husband, and I'm glad she's dead." The dead woman was the daughter of a railroad man. She was a person of refinement and good appearance.

### TO FIGHT REED SMOOT.

Ministers of Salt Lake City Determined That the Mormon Apostle Shall Not Go to the Senate.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 18.—The Ministerial alliance of Salt Lake City is preparing to make a vigorous fight against the election of Apostle Reed Smoot to the United States senate this winter, and, failing in this, to carry the fight against him to the halls of congress. A plan for organized effort on this line, it is said, has already been outlined and will be taken up at the next meeting. The general idea is to make a fight similar to the fight against the seating of Brigham H. Roberts in the house. Not only will the matter be brought before the non-Mormons of the state, but if the fight is unsuccessful in the legislature then an attempt will be made to make Mr. Smoot's election a national issue, and a petition will be drafted to congress asking that Mr. Smoot, as a high official of the Mormon church, be refused a seat in the senate.

### A Train Dragged Him to Death.

Paola, Kan., Nov. 18.—As a Missouri, Kansas & Texas freight train was leaving this place last night one of the crew saw a man dragging by his clothing by the side of the track. The train was stopped and the man was found to be dead. The body had not been identified. He was about 17 years old and wore two suits of clothes. A book, in which the name William Santrom appeared, was found in one of his pockets.

### May Favor Oklahoma Only.

Washington, Nov. 18.—Persistent rumors are in circulation that the senate committee on territories, now in Arizona, will not urge the passage of the omnibus bill admitting New Mexico, Arizona and Oklahoma to statehood. It is said the committee favors the admission of Oklahoma, but opposes the other two.

### Doster to Be Railroad Attorney.

Atchison, Kan., Nov. 18.—It is officially announced that Judge Frank Doster, of the supreme court, will be appointed assistant attorney of the Missouri Pacific with headquarters in Topeka. Judge Doster will succeed the late Albert H. Horton in the Missouri Pacific law firm of Wagener, Horton & Orr.

### Grief for a Boy "Financier."

New York, Nov. 18.—Ronald F. Brenna, 22 years old, who rose in two years from office boy to president of a trust company, which he organized, has been sentenced to Sing Sing for ten years. He was charged with securing money under false pretenses.

### Does Cannon Oppose Revision?

Washington, Nov. 18.—Representative Cannon, who will be the next speaker of the house of representatives, is opposed to any tariff revision until after the next presidential election. This statement is made on trustworthy authority.

### Mystery at Richmond, Mo.

Richmond, Mo., Nov. 18.—William A. Stuck, jeweler, wealthy bachelor, and past grand master of Odd Fellows, has disappeared. All Richmond is convinced that he either has been murdered or has wandered away while deranged.

### Is M. A. Low to Leave Kansas?

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 18.—It is reported in Topeka on what is considered good authority that beginning with the first of the year, M. A. Low, general attorney for the Rock Island system, will be located with headquarters in Chicago.

### Veteran of the Navy Is Dead.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—John A. Grier, reaper manufacturer, is dead at his residence in this city. Mr. Grier took part in many of the naval battles of the civil war, and after reaching the rank of engineer, retired.

### Shotgun Was Accidentally Discharged.

Joplin, Mo., Nov. 18.—While hunting, Clyde Kirk, 20 years old, a farmer of Prosperity, was accidentally shot and killed. Kirk was getting into a buggy when his shotgun was discharged.

### Fell from an Aerial Ladder.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 18.—While testing a new aerial ladder truck, Capt. A. M. Robinson, of the Topeka fire department, fell from the top, 75 feet. He may die of his injuries.

### Stole \$2,300 from an Iowa Bank.

Sioux City, Ia., Nov. 18.—Robbers cracked the safe in the Farmers' Loan & Trust company's bank at Arthur and secured \$2,300 in cash.

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### NOTICE CHANGE EACH WEEK.

## Business Growing.

Following figures show the heavy increase in deposits of this Bank for the past five years on date of official statement just called.

Oct. 31, 1898	\$ 77,673.11
" " 1899	111,532.30
" " 1900	138,186.90
" " 1901	218,937.36
" " 1902	242,588.16

**Farmers' Bank**  
BUTLER, MO.

### Passic Breezes.

Ere you see these breezes, we expect, at least, to be on the road to pastures new, for us, and in leaving be assured one and all friend and foe, we bid you Godspeed. Our only excuse for removing so soon is we are too old to sit idly down—do almost nothing, but must be up and going, not able to abide at a health resort. So let us to you all old friends say good bye. These are the sentiments of my family as well.

Miss Cora Church came home Saturday to see the folks.

R. M. Wilcox shipped a load of hogs last Friday.

If you had been here last week to see corn coming in by the hundreds would imagine this a young Kansas City on wheels, and Geo. C. C. on the scales, and all is business. Have two buyers now, the People's Elevator Co. with J. W. Packer buyer, and the J. D. Tathwell Elevator Co., he being the original grain buyer here.

Sid Alexander has the sympathy of all in the loss of his mother, who died at the old homestead near Burdette, one day last week. We, too, lost a mother, hence can truly sympathize.

Os. Simms and Geo. Walls drove to Butler Saturday. The former has a new buggy.

Mrs. Call Robinson is still with her daughter in Secalia, where her grand child is very sick.

M. Hamburg brought in a load of lumber from Butler Saturday, so much building here last week that our yard run short.

Look out for a boom in Passaic in the near future. A new elevator, an addition to the Tathwell elevator, a company store near the railroad, then we need a depot.

J. B. Lotspeich took a trip to Oklahoma last week.

Mrs. Walls visited relatives and friends at Adrian last week.

Uncle Lewis will sure keep you posted as to the doings in and about Passaic. Success to you, L. C.

The paper states that a Kansas man husked 115 bushels of corn in 5 hours (23 bu. an hour for 5 hours) that downs the Elkhart man, who says he can husk 13 bu. an hour for 5 hours.

H. H. Wilcox had the paper hanger

from Butler papering his house here last week, hence will doubtless move soon.

Rev. Stewart went to Foster Saturday to fill his regular appointment there Sunday.

Mrs. Boswell is slowly but surely improving.

A. M. Temple, with many others, have our thanks for needed favors, and may the Lord be with them, we cannot.

Mr. Todd is convalescent and ere long expects to be at work.

Charlie Zwahlen bought a fine looking animal in Butler, Saturday.

Mr. Bailey is putting in scales and buying corn at his place, 7 miles west and one mile north, where he is feeding quite a bunch of cattle.

J. B. Lotspeich Sundayed with his friend J. D. Tathwell on Bryan ave.

Fred Church was over Sunday. In spite of the R. F. D. our postoffice is a standby for Sunday mail.

Mr. Kingore sold his farm and will move in the spring to Passaic, where he has rented the Walls property and the Isaac Cooklin land.

Albert Jenkins was in Sunday. He reports his (the Wemott) school as progressing well. He is one of our best teachers.

Cal Robinson drove to Butler Saturday night, returning Sunday eve, bringing his daughter, Mrs. Claude Majors with him.

H. Hamburg sold his fine team to a horse buyer Saturday.

Again let us bid the editor and all farewell.

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### Goes Like Hot Cakes.

"The fastest selling article I have in my store," writes druggist C. T. Smith, of Davis, Ky., "is Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, because it always cures. In my six years of sales it has never failed. I have known it to save sufferers from throat and lung diseases, who could get no help from doctors or any other remedy."

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## PRESIDENT'S HUNT ENDED

Camp Was Broken Tuesday Evening and the Party Went to Memphis to Attend Reception to Luke Wright.

Smokes, Miss., Nov. 18.—Tuesday was the last day of the president's hunting expedition. A messenger from camp in the morning reported that the party got an early start. The weather conditions were better than they had been on any day of the hunting. It was cool and cloudy and the dogs could work without distress. The hunters who were trying to give the president a shot were pretty badly discouraged but they were hoping against hope for better luck. The president himself, seemed less concerned over his ill-fortune than were those who were instrumental in bringing him here. He is satisfied that there are bear in the swamps and old his friends that he wanted to come down here again and have another hunt with Holt Collier. The party broke camp late Tuesday afternoon and early Wednesday morning started for Memphis, Tenn., to attend the reception to Vice Gov. Luke Wright, who recently returned from the Philippines.

### From Elreno to St. Louis.

Joplin, Mo., Nov. 18.—The contract for the construction of the Oklahoma Central & St. Louis railway's line through southwest Missouri will be let next week. The new road will run from Elreno through Guthrie, Stillwater, Joplin, Jefferson City and to St. Louis. The right-of-way has been secured through central and southwestern Missouri.

### Yates Tires of Office.

Jefferson City, Mo., Nov. 18.—Superintendent E. E. Yates, of the state insurance department, who came here last June to succeed Thomas H. Wagner in this office, has resigned. Mr. Yates gives as his reason for quitting this \$3,000 per year job that he desires to return to Kansas City to resume his law practice.

### Hutchinson Will Get the Frisco.

Hutchinson, Kan., Nov. 18.—Surveyors are now locating a new right of way for the Frisco west of Bartonsburg. The road now misses Hutchinson about 15 miles. The new route will parallel the Santa Fe tracks from Bartonsburg to Hutchinson and then strike off north and hit the present line at Wherry.

### The Judge Won't Be Ignored.

Denver, Col., Nov. 18.—District Judge Mullins has ordered the arrest of 11 aldermen who voted for an ordinance granting a new franchise to the Denver City Tramway company after they had been served with an injunction which forbade the passage of the ordinance as drawn.

### Two Kings Under One Roof.

London, Nov. 18.—The king of Portugal arrived at Windsor last night from France to pay a visit to the king and queen of England. King Edward, who had come directly from Sandringham, met him at the station. The two monarchs embraced one another most cordially.

Imagine Mrs. Nation as an Actress.

Boston, Nov. 18.—Mrs. Carrie Nation, the "Kansas Smasher," says that after she has completed her lecture engagement she's going to write a play and enact one of the leading roles herself. She believes that she can do more good by going on the stage.

### A "Beauty Doctor" Arrested.

Peoria, Ill., Nov. 18.—Mrs. Rosetta Elder, who describes herself as "magnetist, osteopathist and beauty specialist," was arrested charged with the death of Mrs. Hattie Hart, at Pekin, who died after taking some of Mrs. Elder's "beauty" medicine.

### New Plant Will Be Better.

Sioux City, Ia., Nov. 18.—The Armour & Co. packing plant, which burned Sunday, will be rebuilt at once. The new plant will be one of the finest in the west. The losses are now placed at \$800,000 with \$721,000 insurance.

### Woman Postmaster Removed.

St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 18.—Miss Elizabeth Wilhelm, postmaster at station D for three years, has been removed. She is accused of delaying the delivery of a letter and changing the date of the receiving stamp.

### Even the Authorities Are Fleeing.

Jerusalem, Nov. 18.—The cholera epidemic is spreading rapidly. The populations of Gaza and Lydda have been decimated and the authorities are taking flight. At Jaffa there have been 57 deaths in three days.

### A Frisco Line Into Dallas.

Dallas, Tex., Nov. 18.—President Yoakum, of the Frisco, authorized the statement that his system would build into Dallas from a point on the Red river division near Carrollton during the coming year.

### Deserting to "Universal Brotherhood."

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 18.—Secretary Peirce, of the Universal Brotherhood at Point Loma, now admits that Henry Baron, a young man who has been educated by Mrs. Tingley, has abandoned the brotherhood.

### Baby Left in the Cemetery.

Shawnee, Ok., Nov. 18.—Last night a baby boy four months old was found in a cemetery in a dying condition by the sexton. No clue to the parent could be found. The baby was wrapped in a blanket.

### Baby Was Choked to Death.

Leavenworth, Kan., Nov. 18.—Joseph Loinhart, a baby 18 months old, was choked to death here by swallowing a wooden screw, which got crosswise in its throat.

## SAYS IT IS ANARCHY.

Mitchell Challenges the Declaration That Every Man Must Do as He Pleases.

### THIS APPLIES TO LABOR UNIONS.

Leader and Spokesman for Anarchists Strikers Says, the Argument for the "Personal Freedom of Workmen" is False and Delusive—The Right of a Man to Sell His Labor to Whom He Chooses.

Seranton, Pa., Nov. 18.—Another large crowd was in attendance Tuesday when the arbitration commission began its fourth day's sitting. Mr. Mitchell, who has been on the stand since last Friday, took his place in the witness box and his cross-examination by Wayne MacVeagh, for the Erie company, was resumed.

Mr. MacVeagh, in resuming his cross-examination, said he would be glad to get an expression as to the influence of acts of violence on the temper and disposition of the union men said to have committed them. The witness said that he would not assume that the acts of violence are true. Mr. MacVeagh said: "The question is whether or not you have taken the proper methods to prevent a repetition of violent acts when they have occurred." He did not care, he said, by whom these were committed. "What I am trying to show is that there is a growing spirit of violence and disregard of law in the organization and that your influence over them is insufficient to keep them law-abiding and peaceable as you desire them to be."

Under this arraignment of the union, Mr. Mitchell retained his complete composure. The question met with a ready response. "The fear that my influence," said he, "is not sufficient to deter men from the commission of crime is a contradiction of the claims often made about me." He was free to say that some men may have been deterred from going to work because of violence, but the strike itself lost more from public opinion by reason of that than it could possibly gain. The cross-examiner and the witness then plunged into a spirited colloquy over the question of whether one man has a right to prevent another man from selling his labor.

Mr. MacVeagh read a statement regarding the right to strike as belonging to the personal freedom of workmen. He also took the view that in exercising that freedom those who cease to work must not interfere with the liberty of others who wish to work. "We do not want anarchy," said Mr. Mitchell, "and that is anarchy pure and simple—the right of every man to do absolutely as he pleases regardless of its effect on society." "This is the language of a very carefully disguised anarchy," Mr. MacVeagh remarked, "because it is the language of Archbishop Ireland."

"Archbishop Ireland never expected it to be used in that sense. I might say Archbishop Ireland is a member of a committee of which I am also a member which has declared for a trade union idea," replied Mr. Mitchell.

### National Reform Association.

St. Louis, Nov. 18.—Prominent evangelical ministers from various states are assembling here to attend the three days' session of the National Reform association. The conference is held in St. Louis because of the coming world's fair, as it is considered an especially suitable time to bring forward the principle of the association, that the United States is a Christian nation.

### Carnegie's Home Trip Delayed.

London, Nov. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie returned to London with the intention of sailing tomorrow for the United States, but they have been obliged to abandon the voyage for the present because Mr. Carnegie is indisposed. The whole family were affected by something they ate on the continent.

### Apple-Growers in Convention.

St. Louis, Nov. 18.—Iowa, Illinois, Kansas, Missouri and other states are represented by prominent apple-growers at the congress of American apple-growers which met here to-day. Henry Clay Culp, of Fall Creek, Ill., is chairman of the congress. At the opening session Mayor Wells made an address of welcome.

### Reception to the Chief.

Chicago, Nov. 18.—A public reception to Gen. Adna R. Chaffee was given this afternoon at Memorial hall in the public library building by the Grand Army of the Republic and the Illinois branch of the Society of the Army of Santiago de Cuba.

### Kansas Farmer Used a Revolver.

Herington, Kan., Nov. 18.—George Dunlap, a prominent farmer, is under arrest here charged with attempting to compel James McNaspy, at the point of a revolver, to release certain collateral held by the First national bank of this city.

### Final Roll of Choctaws.

Atoka, I. T., Nov. 18.—Maj. Tom Bixby, chairman of the Dawes commission, with 15 assistants, arrived in Atoka this morning and is now making the final roll of Choctaw citizens and freedmen.

### Missouri Legislator-Elect Dead.

Maysville, Mo., Nov. 18.—Ford Dyer, recently elected to the legislature in De Kalb county, is dead. A special election will be held to fill the vacancy caused by his death.